4. 7059/7060 Charminar Express

5. 2723/2724 Andhra Pradesh Express

6. 7405/7406 Krishna Express

S.E. RAILWAY

1. 2841/2842 Coromandal Express

2. 2859/2860 Geetanjali Express

3. 2821/2822 Bhauli Express

4. 8007/8008 Howrah-Puri Express

5. 8013/8014 Steel Express

WESTERN RAILWAY

1. 2903/2904 Golden Temple Mail

2. 2925/2926 Paschim Express

3. 2955/2956 Jaipur-Mumbai Express

4. 2961/2962 Avantika Express

5. 9101/9102 Gujarat Mail

(c) Following Mail/Express trains are proposed to be converted into air-brake during 1996-97 depending upon availability of coaches from Production Units.

1. 2307/2308 Howrah-Jodhpur Express

2. 2801/2802 Purushottam Express

3. 5659/5660 Kamrup Express

4. 6519/6520 Bangalore-Guwahati Express

5. 6045/6046 Navjeevan Express

6. 5645/5646 Dadar-Guwahati Express

7. 4055/4056 Brahmaputra Mail

8. 9055/9056 Sayaji Nagari Express

9. 2927/2928 Vadodara-Mumbai Express

10. 9031/9032 Kutch Express

11. 9005/9006 Mumbai-Okha Mail

12. 9107/9108 Mumbai-Ahmadabad Janta Express

13. 9129/9130 Vadodara-Ahmadabad Express

14. 3143/3144 Darjeeling Mail

15. 2625/2626 Kerala Express

16. 7015/7016 Vishakha Express

17. 6525/6526 Bangalore-Kanniyakumari Express

18. 2607/2608 Lalbagh Express

19. 2933/2934 Karnavati Express

Own Your Wagon Scheme

4103. SHRI SANAT KUMAR MANDAL : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Railways have planned to adopt a new marketing strategy which would include revision of the 'Own Your Wagonn Scheme' to make it more customer-oriented;

(b) if so, the broad features of this new marketing strategy; and

(c) the rational behind leasing out of brake van space to customers, leasing of wagons under Own-Your-Wagon-Scheme on the long-distance special parcel services between Mumbai-Delhi, Delhi-Howrah and other sections?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ) : (a) and (b) This is a continuing exercise and interactive meetings are being held with existing and potential users at regular intervals to make the Own Your Wagon Scheme more "customer oriented"

(c) With a view to augment railway revenues and provide reliable and efficient service as well as better customer satisfaction, Railways have introduced a scheme of leasing of brake van space and parcel vans selectively on various sections. There is no scheme to lease-out the wagons under 'Own Your Wagon Scheme' for parcel traffic.

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Automatic Machines for Tickets

4104. KUMARI UMA BHARATI
SHRI RAJKESHAR SINGH

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government propose to install automatic machines for issuing platform tickets at Railway stations;

(b) if so, the details thereof and names of the places where such machines are likely to be installed;

(c) the expenditure likely to be incurred on their installation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ) : (a) to (c) There is proposal to provide 20 automatic coin operated Self Printing Ticket Machines for issue of platform tickets by Northern Railway at New Delhi, Delhi and Hazarat Nizamuddin stations. The cost of each machine is about Rs. 54,000/-

Daily Running of Mahamaya Superfast

4105. SHRIMATI CHHABILA ARVIND NETAM : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :